



# Sustainable Transportation: A Challenge for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

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## Global Transportation: At a Crossroad

Worldwide mobility has increased significantly over the past decades and humans have profited enormously. But we are at a turning point: most transportation is no longer sustainable.

Join Cambridge City Councillor Sam Seidel for a panel discussion that will examine the systems and policy approaches - as well as public attitudes - required to foster a robust rail system for the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Eric Cosandey, from the engineering firm SMA, will help us understand the Swiss example to see what the U.S. can learn in creating a more efficient, equitable and environmentally responsible set of transportation options in its urban centers.

**When:** Friday, May 21, 2010  
9.30 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.

**Where:** Cambridge Public Library L2 (Lecture Hall)  
449 Broadway, Cambridge

**Speakers:** Eric Cosandey, SMA + Partners  
Amy Cotter, Metropolitan Area Planning Council (MAPC)  
Peter Furth, Northeastern University  
William Lyons, Volpe Center, U.S. Department of Transportation

**Features:** Welcome Breakfast (8.30 a.m.) at swissnex Boston, Consulate of Switzerland  
420 Broadway, Cambridge (across the street from the Public Library)  
**Exhibit Sustainable Transportation** (created by the Embassy of Switzerland in Washington D.C., in collaboration with the Federal Office of Transport in Switzerland)

**RSVP:** Seating is limited. Please register [here](#).

**Further information:**

For more information on this event, please visit [www.swissnexboston.org](http://www.swissnexboston.org) or contact:

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